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For: SURFACE TREATED STEEL	)	June 2, 2009
SHEET FOR BATTERY...	)	

AMENDMENT AND REPLY SUBMITTED WITH  
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.114

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This paper is fully responsive to the final Office  
Action of March 4, 2009, and is being submitted with a **Request**  
**for Continued Examination (RCE)** pursuant to 37 CFR §1.114.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing  
of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.